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Sir:

In response to the Office Action (hereinafter 'Action') mailed March 5, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

	Claims remaining after		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	19	-	20	=	0
Independent	6	-	3	=	3